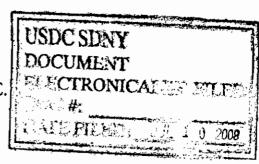
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MEMO ENDORSED

Re: Lori Ostenfeld v. Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc., Case No. 08 CV 03886 (LTS) (SDNY)

Dear Judge Swain:

(via facsimile only)

The parties in the above-referenced case hereby request that the Court postpone the Pre-Trial Conference that is currently scheduled for Friday, July 11, 2008. The parties have reached a settlement in principle of the above-referenced case and are in the process of finalizing the settlement documents.

Thank you for your courtesies in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Emilia M. De Meo

Alicia L. Silverstein, Esq. Counsel for Plaintiff

A thirty-day order will be entaced, and the confirme is concelled.

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SO ORDERED.

PAITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE